

Docket-No. E-00000XX-13-0214

Dear Chairman and Commissioners,

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My name is Terri Edmonson and I am a customer of Tucson Electric Power.

I write to urge you to oppose the elimination of Arizona's Energy Efficiency Standards and any reopening of Arizona's Energy Efficiency Rules. These standards work to lower utility bills for my neighbors and I and also help make Arizona an affordable place to live and work.

I am also a public school teacher. An important part of my curriculum is to teach 6th grade students how electricity is produced in Arizona and the costs, both environmental and financial, of the energy we take for granted. Students learn the importance of using less energy in their homes, reducing the amount of pollution that is produced just to "keep the lights on", as well as the benefits of transitioning to renewable sources. Much of this learning comes from Tucson Electric Power's Bright Students program, which is very engaging and informative. I cannot overstate the importance of educational programs such as these. My kids leave as highly informed citizens and stewards of these resources.

I am confident you will do the right thing for Arizona and our state's economy. I respectfully urge you to continue to support the Energy Efficiency Standards adopted in 2010.

Thank you,

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